

SPECIAL EDUCATION SPECIALIST INSTRUCTION CREDENTIAL

Special Education -- definitions from subsection 300.5 of Title 34 of the code of Federal Regulations, Subpart A

- Learning handicapped -- including specific learning disability and mentally retarded (mild)
- Severely handicapped -- including seriously emotionally disturbed, mentally retarded (severely), multi-handicapped, and other health impaired (autistic)
- Communication handicapped -- including speech and language impaired, deaf, deaf-blind, and hard-of-hearing
- Visually handicapped -- including visually handicapped and deaf-blind
- Physically handicapped -- including multi-handicapped, orthopedically impaired, and other health impaired (having limited strength, vitality, or alertness)

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PRELIMINARY CREDENTIAL: Available only to applicants who have completed their special education program outside of California and who have never held a California Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Credential, or an equivalent teaching credential issued under prior statutes.

- (a) baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited institution of postsecondary education;
- (b) completion of a professional preparation program in a special education specialist category comparable to a Commission-approved program, including successful completion of student teaching or supervised field study, with a minimum grade of "C" on an A through F grading pattern, but taken outside of California and approved by the appropriate agency in the state where the course work was completed. If the out-of-state program does not meet these requirements, specifically if it is not clear that the out-of-state program is comparable to a Commission-approved program, the applicant should contact a California college or university with a Commission-approved program in the special education area (see list on reverse) for an evaluation for completing the requirements for this credential;
- (c) passage of the California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST); and
- (d) written acknowledgment from the applicant and the employing school district that the applicant is responsible for completing the requirements for the Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Credential, including the student teaching requirement, during the five-year term of the preliminary credential or before another credential authorizing special education instruction will be issued.

As outlined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, several California credentials and certificates require an applicant to hold a valid California teaching credential based on a baccalaureate degree and teacher preparation program, including student teaching. This preliminary Special Education Instruction Credential fulfills that Title 5 requirement.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PROFESSIONAL CLEAR CREDENTIAL:

- (a) baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited institution of postsecondary education;
- (b) completion of a Commission-approved professional preparation program in one or more special education categories and the recommendation of a California college or university with a Commission-approved program; or completion of a professional preparation program in one or more special education categories comparable to a Commission-approved program, including successful completion of student teaching or supervised field study, with a minimum grade of "C" on an A through F grading pattern, but taken outside of California and approved by the appropriate agency in the state where the course work was completed. If the out-of-state program does not meet these requirements, specifically if it is not clear that the out-of-state program is comparable to a Commission-approved program, the applicant should contact a California college or university with a Commission-approved program in the special education area (see list on reverse) for an evaluation for completing the requirements for this credential; and
- (c) possession of a basic California teaching credential meeting either of the following definitions: (1) a California teaching credential requiring a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university and completion of a professional teacher preparation program including student teaching, or (2) a clear full-time designated subjects credential if the holder also possesses a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university and has passed the California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST).

AUTHORIZATION: The Specialist Instruction Credential authorizes the holder to teach in the area of specialization listed on the credential at any grade level; preschool, kindergarten, grade one through twelve, and in classes organized primarily for adults.

TERM: The term of the Preliminary Specialist Instruction Credential in Special Education is five years. The preliminary credential may not be renewed. The term of the Professional Clear Specialist Instruction Credential in Special Education is determined by the expiration date of the prerequisite credential, but may not exceed five calendar years.

NOTE: In order to renew the Professional Clear credential the holder must complete 150 clock hours of planned and approved professional growth activities and the equivalent of full-time service for one-half of one school year on the Professional Clear credential. Please refer to the Professional Growth Manual.

Reference: Education Code Section 44225 and 44265; Title 5, California Code of Regulations, Section 80048.2

**COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES IN CALIFORNIA
WITH APPROVED SPECIALIST PROGRAMS**

State Colleges & Universities:	LH	SH	PH	CH	VH
CPSU San Luis Obispo	*X	*X			
CSPU Pomona	*X	X			
CSU Bakersfield	X	X			
CSU Chico	*X	*X			
CSU Dominguez Hills	*X	*X			
CSU Fresno	*X	*X		X	
CSU Fullerton	X	X			
CSU Hayward	X	X			
CSU Long Beach	*X	*X			
CSU Los Angeles	*X	*X	X	X	*X
CSU Northridge	*X	*X		X	
CSU Sacramento	X	X			
CSU San Bernardino	*X	*X			
CSU San Marcos	X				
CSU Stanislaus	X	X			
Humboldt State University	X				
San Diego State University	*X	*X	X	X	
San Francisco State University	X	X	X	X	X
San Jose State University	*X	*X		X	
Sonoma State University	X	X			

University of California:

UC Riverside	*X	*X			
UC Riverside extension	X				
UC San Diego extension	X				

Private Colleges and Universities:

Azusa Pacific	X				
California Baptist	X				
California Lutheran	X	X			
Chapman University	X	X			
Fresno Pacific College	X	X	X		
Holy Names College	X				
La Sierra University	X				
Loyola-Marymount University	X				
Masters College	X				
Mount St. Mary's College	X				
National University	X	X			
Pacific Oaks College	X	X			
Point Loma Nazarene College	X				
St. Mary's College	X	X			
Santa Clara University	*X				
Simpson College	X				
University of LaVerne	X				
University of the Pacific	X	X			
University of San Diego	X	X			
University of San Francisco	X				
University of Southern Calif.	X			X	

* = college internship

KEY to approved programs listed on the reverse:

LH = Learning Handicapped
SH = Severely Handicapped
PH = Physically Handicapped

CH = Communication Handicapped
VH = Visually Handicapped

CALIFORNIA BASIC EDUCATIONAL SKILLS TEST

The California Education Code and Title 5 Regulations state that every applicant for a credential, certificate, or permit to serve in the public schools of California must verify basic skills proficiency by obtaining a passing score on the California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST) before the credential, certificate, or permit will be issued. Applicants for the following documents are exempt from this requirement:

1. Renewal, reissuance, or upgrading of existing credentials, certificates, or permits;
2. An additional credential, certificate, or permit to teach when the applicant holds a non-emergency California teaching document which required a bachelor's degree;
3. Credentials issued solely for teaching adults in apprenticeship programs;
4. Adult Education Designated Subjects Credentials in non-academic subjects (the Local Education Agency or Employing School District that recommends for the credentials in #3 and #4 has further information concerning these exemptions);
5. Certificates of Clearance;
6. Children's Center Instruction Permits and Special Center Permits;
7. Health Services Credentials; and
8. Vocational and Special Subjects (except Driver Education and Training) Designated Subjects Credentials.

Applicants for the following documents may serve on a credential for one year pending the passage of CBEST:

1. Exchange Credentials; and
2. One-Year Nonrenewable (OYNR) Credentials. This credential may be issued to applicants who have completed their professional training outside of California and who have met all of the requirements for an initial California credential except for a passing score on the CBEST. Applicants for the OYNR credential must submit a completed application packet through a California school district or county office of education that must include written verification that (1) the district or county cannot find a fully credentialed person to fill the open position, or one or more credentialed persons are available but do not meet the specified employment criteria for the open position, (2) they have offered employment to the credential applicant, and (3) the applicant has passed a basic skills test developed by the district or county. The district basic skills test does not replace the CBEST, which still must be taken and passed during the first year of employment.

The CBEST need only be passed once and the passing score will remain valid indefinitely for all credential and employment purposes. To pass CBEST one must obtain a minimum scaled score of 41 in each of the three sections (reading, writing and mathematics). However, a section score as low as 37 is acceptable if the total scaled score is at least 123. CBEST can be repeated as many times as necessary to obtain a passing score, but the full registration fee is charged for each test administration. Refer to the test booklet published by CBEST Program for information about retaking failed sections of the examination. No separate processing fee is required when the score is submitted to the Commission office. The score reports will be mailed approximately four weeks after the test date.

CBEST serves two purposes in addition to certification. It is required for employment under certain conditions, so applicants should contact their employers to see if they will be required to take the examination in order to obtain employment. Finally, CBEST must be taken for diagnostic purposes prior to the final deadline for application for admission to a teacher education program. Contact the college or university education department for more information about this aspect of CBEST.

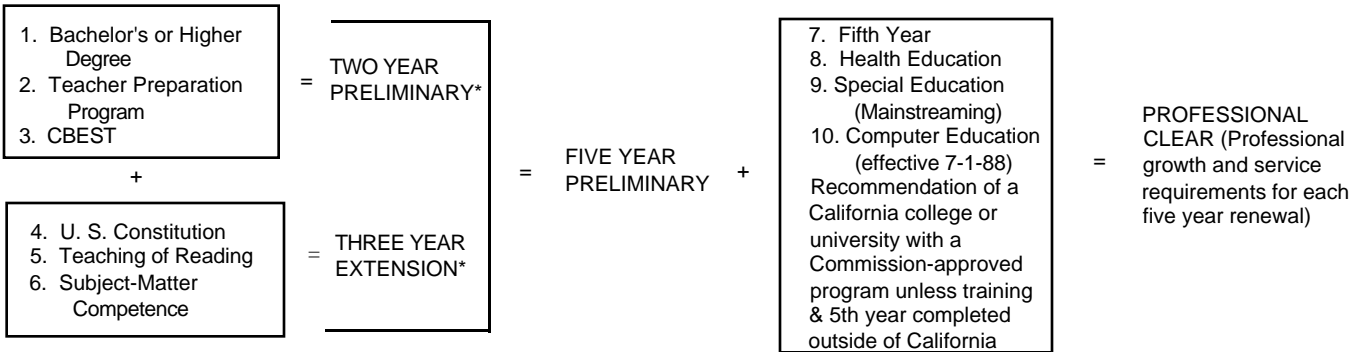
The CBEST Bulletin of Information with registration materials and information regarding test sites and fees is available at school district and county education offices, and in the testing offices of any college or university offering Commission-approved subject matter or teacher training programs. You may also contact the CBEST Program, National Evaluation Systems, Inc., P. O. Box 340880, Sacramento, CA 94834-0880, (916) 928-4001.

CBEST 1996-1997 Registration Schedule			
Test Date	Postmark Deadline for Regular Registration	Late Registration Period (by phone only; requires an additional \$20 fee)	Emergency Registration Period (by phone only; limited to selected test sites; requires an additional \$40 fee)
August 17, 1996	July 19	July 22-August 6	August 7-August 13
October 19, 1996	September 20	September 23- October 8	October 9-October 15
December 7, 1996	November 8	November 12- November 26	November 27-December 3
February 8, 1997	January 10	January 13- January 28	January 29-February 4
April 12, 1997	March 14	March 17-April 1	April 2-April 8
June 14, 1997	May 16	May 19-June 3	June 4-June 10

MULTIPLE SUBJECT TEACHING CREDENTIAL

A Multiple Subject Teaching Credential authorizes the holder to teach in a self-contained classroom such as the classrooms in most elementary schools. **Candidates for the Multiple Subject Credential who complete their teacher preparation through a Commission-approved program in California must be recommended for the credential through their college or university credentials office.** Elementary school teachers who completed their professional preparation **outside of California** may apply directly to the Commission for their initial credentials. The credentialing process in California is made up of a sequence of requirements which may take as long as six years to complete. The teacher receiving his or her preliminary credential is making a commitment to complete the process and obtain the professional clear credential. The sequence of requirements is diagrammed below, then each requirement is explained in detail. Please contact the Commission, your employer, or a Commission-approved college or university for application materials.

DIAGRAM OF CREDENTIAL REQUIREMENTS



* Only available to candidates who have completed a full teacher preparation program outside of California.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PRELIMINARY CREDENTIAL

1. **Education:** Completion of a baccalaureate or higher degree, except in professional education, from a regionally accredited college or university. A degree in education may be acceptable if (1) the degree was completed outside of California, or (2) the applicant verifies the completion of two years of successful teaching on the basis of a standard credential in the state in which the service was rendered, or (3) the degree in education contains no less subject-matter course work than would be required for a subject other than education.
2. **Professional Teacher Preparation:** Completion of a multiple subject professional teacher preparation program, including student teaching with a minimum grade of C on a five point scale, taken at a regionally accredited institution approved by the Commission or by the state certification agency of the state in which the program was completed. If no professional preparation program was completed or if the grade in student teaching was less than a C, the applicant may qualify for the credential if he or she can verify the completion of three years of successful full-time multiple subject (self-contained classroom) teaching within the last ten years. This experience must have been completed while the applicant held or was eligible for a full professional certificate based on a baccalaureate or higher degree from the state in which the experience was obtained. If the grade in student teaching was a pass or credit, the applicant is assumed to have completed student teaching at the C grade level or better. Applicants who meet the requirements of the Interstate Agreement (see reverse) are considered to have successfully completed the teacher preparation program requirement.
3. **CBEST:** Passage of the California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST). To pass CBEST one must obtain a minimum scaled score of 41 in each of the three sections (reading, mathematics, and writing). However, a section score as low as 37 is acceptable if the total scaled score is at least 123. Out-of-state applicants who have not yet passed the CBEST may wish to contact their California employers about the possibility of getting a One-Year Non-Renewable (OYNR) Credential pending the passage of CBEST. See the CBEST leaflet (CL-667) for more details.
4. **Provisions and Principles of the U.S. Constitution:** Completion of a course (two semester units or three quarter units) in the provisions and principles of the United States Constitution OR passage of an examination in the subject given by a regionally accredited junior college, college, or university OR verification of meeting the interstate agreement requirements described on the reverse of this form.
5. **Methods of Teaching Reading:** Completion of a course in the methods of teaching reading OR passage (with a minimum score of 680) of the Praxis Series Subject Assessment entitled "Introduction to Teaching of Reading."
6. **Subject-Matter Competence:** Verification of subject-matter competency by one of two methods: (1) completing a Commission-approved liberal arts subject-matter program or its equivalent and obtaining a subject-matter statement from the authorized person in the education department of a California college or university with an approved program (California colleges and universities may have recency requirements that have to be met before a subject-matter statement can be granted) OR (2) achieving a passing score on the appropriate subject-matter examination. Information about the appropriate subject-matter examination, including passing scores and registration, are on the Verifying Subject Matter Competence leaflet which may be obtained from the Commission.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PROFESSIONAL CLEAR

Formal Recommendation from a California College or University: In order to obtain the professional clear credential, the applicant must secure the recommendation of a California teacher preparation institution with a Commission-approved program. The preliminary credential is issued for a maximum of five years. If requirements for the professional clear credential are not completed before the expiration date of the preliminary, the holder will be unable to teach in the public schools of California on that credential. When the requirements are complete, if the responsible authorities at the institution are unable or refuse to recommend the applicant, he or she is entitled to have the specific reasons for such refusal given in writing. He or she may then use that information in support of an application for a direct appeal to the Commission. Applicants prepared outside of California who have already completed their fifth year of study will be given a complete evaluation by the Commission so they may apply directly to the Commission for the professional clear credential without going through the institution for a formal recommendation.

7. **Fifth Year of Study:** Completion of a fifth year of study after the bachelor's degree. A fifth year of study consists of 30 semester units in a defined field of study designed to improve the teacher's competence and skills. Those applicants who have not completed a fifth year must do so within five years of the receipt of the preliminary credential. This fifth year course of study should be approved by a California teacher preparation institution and may be used for one or more of the following purposes:
 - (a) additional subject-matter preparation including, but not limited to, pursuit of a master's or higher degree,
 - (b) completion of an approved program for an advanced or specialized credential,
 - (c) in-service training for which college or university credit is given, or
 - (d) study undertaken to complete an approved program of professional preparation.
8. **Health Education:** Completion of a unit requirement in health education, including, but not limited to, nutrition, the physiological and sociological effects of abuse of alcohol, narcotics, and drugs, and the use of tobacco. This requirement must include verification of training in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) which covers infant and child to adult CPR skills, plus rescue breathing and choke rescue, education risk factors, sudden cardiac arrest, and may include causes of respiratory arrest, healthy heart concept and emphasis on recognizing the symptoms of heart attack and taking action before CPR becomes necessary. CPR certification must be completed while in a teacher preparation program or while teaching on a valid credential based on a teacher education program.
9. **Special Education:** Completion of a requirement in the needs of, and methods of providing educational opportunities to, individuals with exceptional needs (mainstreaming).
10. **Computer Education:** Satisfactory completion of computer education course work which includes general and specialized skills in the use of computers in educational settings.

COURSE WORK SUBMITTED FOR A CREDENTIAL: An applicant must have an overall grade point average of C or better on a five-point scale, or the approved institution's required GPA, whichever is higher, in all course work offered toward fulfillment of credential requirements. Continuing education units (CEU's) are not acceptable to fulfill credential requirements. If it is not clear from the entry on college transcripts that a particular course fulfills one of the specific credential requirements, a course description or a letter from the appropriate department chairperson verifying the content of the course work should be enclosed with the credential application.

INTERSTATE AGREEMENTS

Applicants who meet the Interstate Agreement are considered to have successfully completed their professional teacher preparation program requirement (#2 on the front of this leaflet) and the U.S. Constitution requirement (#4 on the front of this leaflet). The Interstate Agreement does not clear any of the other requirements. The Interstate Agreement applies to applicants for the Multiple Subject Teaching Credential who hold or are eligible for a comparable credential (for teaching in an elementary or self-contained, not special education, classroom) from outside of California and who:

1. have completed a state-approved baccalaureate or post-baccalaureate level elementary teacher preparation program since September 30, 1986, at a regionally accredited institution in a state with which California has an agreement, **OR**
2. hold a regular or advanced certificate for elementary or self-contained classroom teaching issued by a state with which California has an agreement **AND** have taught in an elementary classroom in that state 27 months within the past seven years. At least 18 months of this experience must be under the certificate. If no state certificate was required for the experience, the applicant must have taught the subjects to which the certificate applies in a school where student attendance satisfies the state compulsory attendance law.

STATES HAVING INTERSTATE AGREEMENTS WITH CALIFORNIA AS OF JANUARY 1, 1995:

Alabama	District of Columbia	Illinois	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Utah
Arkansas	Florida	Indiana	Michigan	New York	Rhode Island	Vermont
Colorado	Georgia	Kentucky	Montana	North Carolina	South Carolina	Virginia
Connecticut	Hawaii	Maine	Nevada	Ohio	Tennessee	Washington
Delaware	Idaho	Maryland	New Hampshire	Oregon	Texas	West Virginia

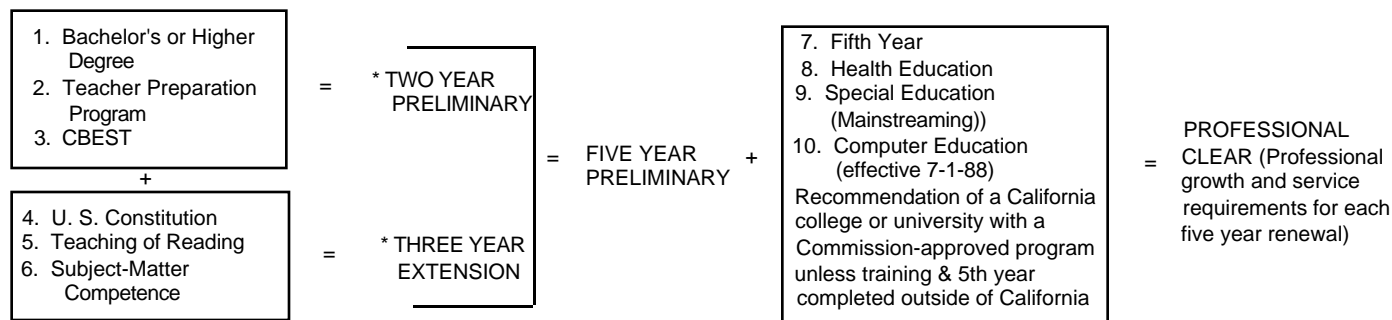
AUTHORIZATION FOR SERVICE

A teacher authorized for multiple subject instruction may be assigned to teach in any self-contained classroom (preschool, kindergarten, and grades 1 through 12, inclusive, or in classes organized primarily for adults); or to teach any subject in departmentalized classes to a given class or group of students in grade 8 and below, provided that the teacher has completed at least twelve semester units, or six upper division or graduate units, of course work at an accredited institution in each subject to be taught. Governing boards determine the authorization needed for a teaching assignment.

SINGLE SUBJECT TEACHING CREDENTIAL

A Single Subject Teaching Credential authorizes the holder to teach the specific subject(s) named on the credential in departmentalized classes such as those in most junior high and high schools. **Candidates for the Single Subject Credential who complete their teacher preparation through a Commission-approved program in California must be recommended for the credential through their college or university credentials office.** Secondary school teachers who completed their professional preparation outside of California may apply directly to the Commission for their initial credentials. The credentialing process in California is made up of a sequence of requirements which may take as long as six years to complete. The teacher receiving his or her preliminary credential is making a commitment to complete the process and obtain the professional clear credential. The sequence of requirements is diagrammed below, then each requirement is explained in detail. Please contact the Commission, your employer, or a Commission-approved college or university for application materials.

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** Only available to candidates who have been determined by a Commission-approved college or university to have completed course work in the subject matter program on or before December 31, 1994. The program must be completed by January 1, 1998.

Language Other Than English, ***Life Science, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, ***Physical Science, Science: Biological Sciences, Science: Chemistry, Science: Geosciences, Science: Physics, and Social Science.

*** Only available to candidates who have: (1) been determined by a Commission approved college or university to have completed course work in the subject matter program on or before December 31, 1994, or (2) complete appropriate subject matter examinations by September 1, 1996. Please contact the Commission for information on appropriate examinations.

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 - (a) Additional subject-matter preparation including, but not limited to, pursuit of a master's or higher degree,
 - (b) completion of an approved program for an advanced or specialized credential,
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COURSE WORK SUBMITTED FOR A CREDENTIAL: An applicant must have an overall grade point average of C or better on a five-point scale, or the approved institution's required GPA, and must receive semester or quarter hour credits on all course work offered toward fulfillment of credential requirements. If it is not clear from the entry on an applicant's college transcripts that a particular course fulfills one of the specific credential requirements, a course description or a letter from the appropriate department chairperson should be enclosed with the credential application.

INTERSTATE AGREEMENTS

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1. have completed a state-approved baccalaureate or post-baccalaureate level secondary teacher preparation program since September 30, 1986, at a regionally accredited institution in a state with which California has an agreement, **OR**
2. hold a regular or advanced certificate for departmentalized classroom teaching issued by a state with which California has an agreement AND have taught in a departmentalized classroom in that state for 27 months within the past seven years. At least 18 months of this experience must be under the certificate. If no state certificate was required for the experience, the applicant must have taught the subject(s) to which the certificate applies in a school where student attendance satisfies the state compulsory attendance law.

STATES HAVING INTERSTATE AGREEMENTS WITH CALIFORNIA AS OF JANUARY 1, 1995:

Alabama	District of Columbia	Illinois	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Utah
Arkansas	Florida	Indiana	Michigan	New York	Rhode Island	Vermont
Colorado	Georgia	Kentucky	Montana	North Carolina	South Carolina	Virginia
Connecticut	Hawaii	Maine	Nevada	Ohio	Tennessee	Washington
Delaware	Idaho	Maryland	New Hampshire	Oregon	Texas	West Virginia

AUTHORIZATION FOR SERVICE

A teacher authorized for single subject instruction may be assigned to teach any subject in his or her authorized fields at any grade level; preschool; kindergarten, and grades one through twelve, inclusive; or in classes organized primarily for adults. Governing boards determine the authorization needed for a teaching assignment.

**INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION HAVING
 APPROVED PROGRAMS FOR CALIFORNIA CREDENTIALS**

INSTITUTION	ADDRESS	TELEPHONE
State Universities and Colleges		
California Polytechnic State University.....	San Luis Obispo, CA 93407	(805) 756-2126
California State Polytechnic University Pomona.....	3801 W. Temple Ave., Pomona, CA 91768	(909) 869-2303
California State University Bakersfield.....	9001 Stockdale Hwy, Bakersfield, CA 93309.....	(805) 664-3074
California State University Chico.....	First & Normal Sts., Chico, CA 95929-0222	(916) 898-6455
California State University Dominguez Hills.....	1000 E. Victoria St., Carson, CA 90747.....	(310) 243-3521
California State University Fresno.....	5241 N Maple Avenue, Fresno, CA 93740	(209) 278-0300
California State University Fullerton.....	800 N. State College Blvd., Fullerton, CA 92831.....	(714) 773-3205
California State University Hayward.....	25800 Hillary St., Hayward, CA 94542.....	(510) 881-3031
California State University Long Beach.....	1250 Bellflower Blvd., Long Beach, CA 90840.....	(310) 985-5710
California State University Los Angeles.....	5151 State University Dr., Los Angeles, CA 90032	(213) 343-4340
California State University Monterey Bay.....	100 Campus Center, Seaside, CA 93955-8001.....	(408) 582-3638
California State University Northridge.....	18111 Nordhoff St., Northridge, CA 91330	(818) 677-2586
California State University Sacramento.....	6000 J St., Sacramento, CA 95819-6079.....	(916) 278-4567
California State University San Bernardino.....	5500 University Pkwy., San Bernardino, CA 92407.....	(909) 880-5609
California State University San Marcos.....	San Marcos, CA 92069	(760) 750-4279
California State University Stanislaus.....	801 W. Monte Vista, Turlock, CA 95382.....	(209) 667-3534
Humboldt State University.....	Arcata, CA 95521	(707) 826-3752
San Diego State University - San Diego.....	5300 Campanile Drive, San Diego, CA 92182-1100	(619) 594-5964
San Diego State University-Imperial Valley.....	720 Heber Ave., Calexico, CA 92231	(619) 357-5511
San Francisco State University.....	1600 Holloway Ave., San Francisco, CA 94132.....	(415) 338-1758
San Jose State University.....	1 Washington Sq., San Jose, CA 95192-0071.....	(408) 924-3608
Sonoma State University.....	1801 East Cotati Ave., Rohnert Park, CA 94928.....	(707) 664-2593
Universities of California		
University of California Berkeley.....	1603 Tolman Hall, Berkeley, CA 94720.....	(510) 642-5345
University of California Davis.....	Davis, CA 95616.....	(916) 752-0758
University of California Irvine.....	2001 Berkeley Place, Irvine, CA 92697-5500.....	(714) 824-6673
University of California Los Angeles.....	405 Hilgard Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90024.....	(310) 825-8328
University of California Riverside.....	Riverside, CA 92521-0128.....	(909) 787-5227
University of California San Diego.....	9500 Gilman Drive, LaJolla, CA 92093.....	(619) 534-2958
University of California San Francisco.....	513 Parnassus Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94143.....	(415) 476-4668
University of California Santa Barbara.....	Santa Barbara, CA 93106.....	(805) 893-2036
University of California Santa Cruz.....	1156 High Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95064	(408) 459-3712
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Azusa Pacific University.....	901 E Alostia, Azusa, CA 91702.....	(818) 815-5366
Bethany College of the Assemblies of God.....	800 Bethany Dr., Scotts Valley, CA 95066.....	(408) 438-3800 x1503
Biola University.....	13800 Biola Ave., LaMirada, CA 90639.....	(310) 903-6000 x 5679
California Baptist College.....	8432 Magnolia Ave., Riverside, CA 92504.....	(909) 689-5771 x313
California Lutheran University.....	60 Olsen Rd., Thousand Oaks, CA 91360-2787	(805) 493-3425
Chapman University - Orange.....	333 N. Glassell St., Orange, CA 92666.....	(714) 997-6781
Christian Heritage College.....	2100 Greenfield Drive, El Cajon CA 92021.....	(619) 440-3043
Claremont Graduate School.....	160 E. 10th St., Claremont, CA 91711.....	(909) 621-8076
College of Notre Dame.....	1500 Ralston Ave., Belmont, CA 94002.....	(415) 593-1601 x304
Concordia University.....	1530 Concordia West, Irvine, CA 92715	(714) 854-8002 x353
Dominican College of San Rafael.....	50 Acacia Street, San Rafael, CA 94901.....	(415) 457-4440 x287
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Ukiah Campus.....	2240 Eastside Road, Ukiah, CA 95482.....	(707) 463-4801
Fresno Pacific College.....	1717 S. Chestnut Ave., Fresno, CA 93702.....	(209) 453-2053
Holy Names College.....	3500 Mountain Blvd., Oakland, CA 94619.....	(510) 436-1063
John F. Kennedy University.....	12 Altarinda Rd., Orinda, CA 94563	(510) 253-2232

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Loma Linda University.....	Loma Linda, CA 92350.....	(909) 824-4998
Loyola Marymount University.....	7900 Loyola Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90045.....	(310) 338-2863
Masters College, The.....	21726 W. Placerita Canyon Rd, Santa Ana, CA 91321.....	(805) 259-3540 x215
Mills College.....	5000 MacArthur Blvd., Oakland, CA 94613.....	(510) 430-2118
Mount Saint Mary's College.....	10 Chester Place, Los Angeles, CA 90007.....	(213) 746-0450 x2224
National Hispanic University.....	14271 Story Road, San Jose, CA 95127.....	(408) 254-6900 x13
National University - Sacramento.....	9320 Tech Center Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826.....	(916) 855-4304
National University - San Diego.....	11255 N Torrey Pines Rd., La Jolla, CA 92037.....	(619) 642-8648
National University - Vista.....	2022 University Dr., Vista, CA 92083.....	(619) 945-6363
New College of California.....	777 Valencia Street, San Francisco, CA 94110.....	(415) 437-3430
Occidental College.....	1600 Campus Rd., Los Angeles, CA 90041.....	(213) 259-2781
Pacific Christian College.....	2500 E. Nutwood Ave., Fullerton, CA 92361.....	(714) 879-3901
Pacific Oaks College.....	5 Westmoreland Place, Pasadena, CA 91103.....	(818) 397-1331
Pacific Union College.....	One Angwin Ave., Angwin, CA 94508.....	(707) 965-6643
Patten College.....	2433 Coolidge, Oakland, CA 94601.....	(510) 533-8300 x232
Pepperdine - Los Angeles.....	400 Corporate Pointe, Culver City, CA 90230.....	(310) 568-5608
Pepperdine - Malibu.....	24255 Pacific Coast Hwy., Malibu, CA 90265.....	(310) 456-4341
Point Loma Nazarene College.....	3900 Lomaland Dr., San Diego, CA 92106-2899.....	(619) 221-2371
Point Loma Nazarene College - Pasadena.....	1530 E. Elizabeth, Pasadena, CA 91104.....	(818) 798-0541
Saint Mary's College.....	1928 St. Mary's Road, Moraga, CA 94575.....	(510) 631-4727
Santa Clara University.....	Santa Clara, CA 95053.....	(408) 554-4434
Simpson College.....	2211 College View Drive, Redding, CA 96003.....	(916) 224-5600
Southern California College.....	55 Fair Dr., Costa Mesa, CA 92626.....	(714) 556-3610 x252
Stanford University.....	Stanford, CA 94305.....	(415) 723-2110
United States International University.....	10455 Pomerado Rd., San Diego, CA 92131.....	(619) 635-4824
University of LaVerne.....	1950 Third St., LaVerne, CA 91750.....	(909) 593-3511 x4631
University of the Pacific.....	3601 Pacific Ave., Stockton, CA 95211.....	(209) 946-2277
University of Redlands.....	1200 E. Colton, Redlands, CA 92373.....	(909) 793-2121 x6011
University of San Diego.....	5998 Alcalá Park, San Diego, CA 92110-2492.....	(619) 260-4821
University of San Francisco.....	2130 Fulton St., San Francisco, CA 94117.....	(415) 666-6525
University of Southern California.....	University Park, Los Angeles, CA 90089-0031.....	(213) 740-3467
Westmont College.....	955 LaPaz Rd., Santa Barbara, CA 93108.....	(805) 565-6165
Whittier College.....	13406 E. Philadelphia St., Whittier, CA 90608.....	(310) 693-0771 x322